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To: Microsoft ATR
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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

Please see the attached letter urging that this settlement be completed. Enough is enough.

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Attorney General John Ashcroft US Department of Justice, 950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20530-0001

Dear Mr. Ashcroft:

I have been following the ongoing antitrust lawsuit between the U.S. government and Microsoft, and I would like to see it settled according to the terms both sides agreed to in November. Microsoft is making several important concessions to end the case, and I feel that your office should comply with the settlement.

Microsoft has agreed to significant changes to end the suit, changes that will benefit both its competitors and consumers as a whole. Designing new means for computer makers and users to customize their use of Windows and its affiliated programs, as well as to integrate programs by competing developers, enhances the public's freedom of choice, while protecting Microsoft's right to continue developing some of the most innovative technologies in the marketplace.

I believe that the case has been active long enough, and the potential settlement is the only likely way to end it any time soon. I urge you to finalize the settlement and move on to more important matters.

Sincerely,

Rosemary Scanlon